



CITY OF LODI COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

AGENDA TITLE: Authorize Lodi Police Department to accept the donation of a 2001 Ford F-150 Van from Ford Construction Company, Inc., of Lodi

MEETING DATE: July 15, 2009

PREPARED BY: David J. Main, Chief of Police

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Authorize Lodi Police Department to accept the donation of a 2001 Ford F-150 van from Ford Construction Company Inc., of Lodi.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: Currently the Police Department has a 1991 Dodge van (05-056) that has a blown engine and a 1994 Ford F-350 truck (05-062D) that is primarily used to pull the DUI trailer. Both of these vehicles are assigned to the traffic unit. The Dodge van was used by the Parking Enforcement Officers and the Major Accident Investigation Team (MAIT) to conduct traffic accident investigations. Acquiring this vehicle will allow the Police Department to consolidate the functions of these two vehicles into one. This van is capable of serving both needs thereby allowing for the reduction of the police fleet by one vehicle. This will translate into some minor savings in maintenance and repair costs.

FISCAL IMPACT: Minor savings from reduced maintenance and repair costs.

FUNDING AVAILABLE: N/A

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David J. Main
Chief of Police

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Cc: City Attorney

APPROVED:

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Blair King, City Manager